

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the paragraph on page 1, lines 5-13, with the following rewritten paragraph:

This application is related to the following co-pending and commonly-assigned patent applications, all of which are filed on the same date herewith, and all of which are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety:

"Method, System, And Program For Using Look-up Tables to Filter Raster Data", by Richard S. Lucky, Larry M. Ernst, and Danielle K. Dittrich, having ~~attorney docket no. BLD990048US~~ U.S. Application Serial No. 09/535,858; and

"Method, System, And Program For Reducing Toner Usage in Print Output", by Larry M. Ernst, Danielle K. Dittrich, and Richard S. Lucky, having ~~attorney docket no. BLD990050US~~ U.S. Application Serial No. 09/535,859.